

## **Legal Notice for Opportunity to Comment on Danger Point Trail Reconstruction**

The Tongass National Forest, Admiralty Island National Monument, has prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA) for the Danger Point Trail Reconstruction. The Danger Point Trail is located just north of Angoon, Alaska on Admiralty Island. The proposal is to reconstruct the second half of the current one-mile-long trail, to a similar design as that of the improved first half of the trail. The Responsible Official for this project is: Basia Trout, District Ranger, Admiralty Island National Monument, 907-612-0417; [basia.trout@usda.gov](mailto:basia.trout@usda.gov).

The EA is available on-line at: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60319>. The EA is also available for review at the Admiralty Island National Monument Office, 8510 Mendenhall Loop Rd, Juneau.

### **How to Comment and Timeframe**

Individuals and organizations wishing to be eligible to object must meet the information requirements of 36 CFR 218 Subparts A and B. Specific written comments on the proposed project will be accepted for 30 days following the date of publication of this notice in the Juneau Empire, the newspaper of record for the Admiralty Island National Monument. The publication date in the newspaper of record is the exclusive means for calculating the comment period for a proposed action documented in an EA. Those wishing to comment should not rely upon dates or timeframe information provided by any other source.

The proposed project is an activity implementing a land management plan and is subject to 36 CFR 218, Subparts A and B. Only individuals or entities who submit timely and specific written comments about this proposed project or activity during this or another public comment period established by the Responsible Official will be eligible to file an objection. Comments must be within the scope of the proposed action, have a direct relationship to the proposed action, and include supporting reasons for the Responsible Official to consider. Persons submitting comments must provide the following information: name and address; title of the proposed project; specific written comments; and signature or other verification of identity upon request. Other requirements to be eligible to submit an objection are listed at 36 CFR 218.25(a)(3). It is the responsibility of the sender to ensure timely receipt of any comments submitted.

Specific written comments for the Responsible Official may be submitted via mail, other delivery service, email, or in person to: Don MacDougall, Team Leader, 8510 Mendenhall Loop Rd, Juneau, 99801, or email to [comments-alaska-tongass-admiralty-national-monument@usda.gov](mailto:comments-alaska-tongass-admiralty-national-monument@usda.gov).

Comments may be hand delivered by appointment by calling 907-789-6280 in Juneau. Business hours for hand delivered comments are Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., excluding holidays. Electronic comments shall be in a format that is compatible with the current version of MS Word. Please include 'Danger Point Trail Reconstruction' in the subject line.

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